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Art Unit: 2131

Filed: May 3, 2001

Examiner: C. C. Lee

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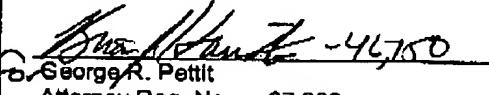
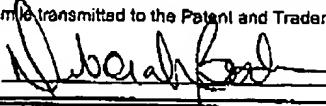
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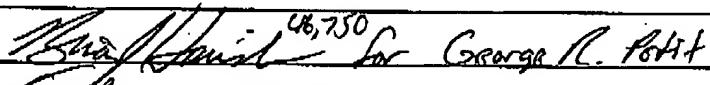
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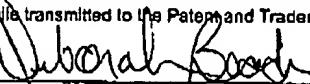
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